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In re Appln. of: Tomomi Sugiyama

Appln. No.: 10/735,271

Examiner: Patricia K. Bex

Filed: December 12, 2003

Art Unit: 1743

For: Clinical Laboratory Management  
Systems, Management Apparatuses,  
and Recording Media

Attorney Docket No: 11333/31

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## Attached is/are:

- ☒ Transmittal (in duplicate); Response to Restriction Requirement and Election  
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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND ELECTION

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed April 18, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following remarks, which begin on page 2 of this communication.